# SEMINAR: TAX AUDITS & INVESTIGATIONS – ISSUES, STRATEGIES & APPEALS

**Date** 

25 January 2018 13 February 2018 12 March 2018 Venue

Renaissance Hotel Kuala Lumpur Mutiara Hotel, Johor Bahru Hotel Jen, Penang **Event Code** 

SE/001 SE/002 SE/003 TIME

9.00AM - 5.00PM

## **OBJECTIVES**

This seminar will discuss:

- Snapshots of the major IRB audits and investigations
- Insights on the common mistakes made by taxpayers
- Strategies in dealing with the IRB
- Developing your tax audit and investigation strategies
- · Protecting taxpayer's rights
- Ability to manage tax appeals efficiently and choosing the best appeal route

# **TOPICS HIGHLIGHTS**

- Relevance of the Multi-Purpose case today
- Principles of interest expense deduction
- Usage of Sec. 140(1) to recharacterise a genuine transaction
- Time barred assessments
- · Document retention and secondary evidence
- Withdrawal of stock
- · Bad debt claims
- Taxing land disposals

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Finance Directors & Financial Controllers
- Tax Managers
- Tax Agents & Consultants
- Legal Counsel & Officers
- · Company Secretaries
- Accountants & Auditors
- Bankers & Business Advisors
- Withholding tax on payments to non-residents
- · Bringing release of debt to income tax
- Imposition of penalty
- Usage of AMLA provisions in tax investigation
- Preparation of capital statement
- Avoiding best judgment assessment
- Public Ruling and its relevance today

# **SPEAKERS**



Farah Rosley
Deputy President, CTIM

Partner, Ernst & Young Tax Consultants Sdn Bhd

Farah has more than 20 years of experience in handling a variety of tax audits and investigations, tax incentives, corporate tax, transfer pricing and tax structuring assignments. Farah has worked closely with Government authorities and other officials for the application of relevant tax incentives for companies. Farah has also conducted high-level tax risk assessment reviews, tax due diligence, corporate tax planning and specific tax reviews. She has had a role in transfer pricing projects, including risk assessment reviews, transfer pricing reports, intragroup cost sharing arrangements, price-setting exercises and comparable studies. Farah has also had engagements at Government consultation meetings and been invited to attend task forces on tax policy matters.



## S Saravana Kumar

Partner, Lee Hishammuddin Allen & Gledhill

S. Saravana Kumar is a Tax Partner with Lee Hishammuddin Allen & Gledhill, which is one of the largest law firms in Malaysia. Saravana has appeared in benchmark litigations with a sizeable volume of wins in tax disputes. Praised for his ability to "think outside the box" and "innovative approach" in interpreting the law, Chambers Asia Pacific 2017 commented that clients have remarked, "His tax knowledge is very in-depth and he is fast at responding." He is presently representing almost all the taxpayers involved in major tax litigations with the Inland Revenue Board. Saravana is an Adjunct Professor with Universiti Tenaga Nasional (UNITEN) and co-authored 5 books on income tax, GST and anti-profiteering.

# **MODERATOR**



# **Chow Chee Yen**

Council Member, CTIM

Executive Director, Advent MS Tax Consultants Sdn Bhd

Chow Chee Yen has approximately 26 years of tax experience and he is involved in tax engagements concerning cross border transactions, tax due diligence review, restructuring scheme, corporate tax planning, merger and acquisition exercise, group tax review and inbound investments. Chee Yen's expertise is in high demand not only as a consultant in the business community, but also as a prolific trainer for tax workshops and seminars organised by MIA, CTIM, ACCA, CPA Australia, the Star newspapers as well as in-house trainings for both professional firms and corporations.



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